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BASED ON TASK FLOW MODELING :

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1. Transmitted herewith is an amendment for this application.

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2. Applicant is
___ a small entity. A verified statement:
___ is attached.
___ was already filed.
☒ other than a small entity.

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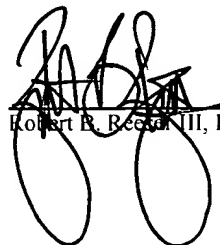
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EXTENSION OF TERM

3. The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.136 apply.

(complete (a) or (b), as applicable)

- (a) ☐ Applicant petitions for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. 1.136
(Fees: 37 C.F.R. 1.17(a)-(d) for the total number of months checked below:)

Extension (months)	Fee for other than Small entity	Fee for small entity
<input type="checkbox"/> one month	\$ 110.00	\$ 55.00
<input type="checkbox"/> two months	\$ 390.00	\$ 195.00
<input type="checkbox"/> three months	\$ 890.00	\$ 445.00
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Fee: \$ _____

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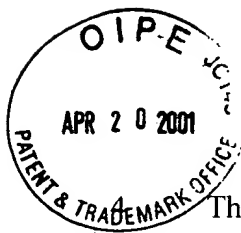
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☐ An extension of _____ months has already been secured. The fee paid therefor of \$ _____ is deducted from the total fee due for the total months of extension now requested.

Extension fee due with this request \$ _____

OR

- (b) ☒ Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition for extension of time.



FEE FOR CLAIMS

The fee for claims (37 C.F.R. 1.16(b)-(d)) has been calculated as shown below:

(Col. 1)		(Col. 2)		(Col. 3)		SMALL ENTITY		OTHER THAN A SMALL ENTITY								
CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR		PRESENT EXTRA		RATE		ADDIT. FEE		OR		RATE		ADDIT. FEE		
TOTAL		MINUS				x \$9=	\$			x \$18 =	\$					
INDEP.		MINUS				x \$40 =	\$			x \$80 =	\$					
___ FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEP. CLAIM						+ \$135 = \$						+ \$270 = \$-0-				
						TOTAL ADDIT. FEE				\$	OR		TOTAL ADDIT. FEE			

(c) ☒ No additional fee for Claims is required.

OR

(d) ___ Total additional fee for claims required

FEE PAYMENT

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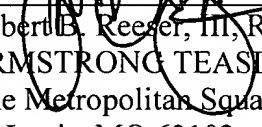
FEE DEFICIENCY

6. ☒ If any additional extension and/or fee is required, charge Deposit Account No. 01-2384.

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- Preliminary Amendment (4 pages)
- Submission of Marked Up Paragraphs (4 pages)
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